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The Bulletin.

VARIOUS MATTERS

Needfuls for Confirmation day are

Dealers in automobile supplies are flocking to town. Cards for some of the millinery

penings are out,

Available building material is being ought by the birds White birches begin to show signs

of spring awakening. Some of the sewing clubs are busy on home-made Easter gifts.

St. James' lodge, No. 23, works the F. C. degree this evening.-adv.

The state convention of the Knights of Columbus is to be held in Nev Britain May 10.

School attendance, which has been affected by so much illness among pu-

pils, is increasing, Music dealers are featuring Moore's nelodies and other Irish songs for

St. Patrick's day, It is almost broad daylight now at 6 o'clock in the evening, and it is day-

The shower late Sunday night settled the flying dust which has been so bad for spring colds.

break as early as 4.07

Tuesday, March 15, is devoted in the church calendar to St. Longinus the centurion at the crucifixion.

At the last quarterly conference in the Portland, Conn., M. E. church, Dis-trict Supt. J. H. Newland presided.

Miss Clapp's Easter sale of artistic novelties, hand painted cards, stamped Good home cooking, at Woman's Exchange,-adv.

That cod are scarce about Block island is shown by the fact of the crew of the schooner Phoebe setting eight trawls one day during the past week. Only eight codfish were caught

Members of the Connecticut Auto mobile association will attend the monthly meeting to be held in Hartford Friday afternoon at which time appointment will be made to the office of chairman of the legislative com-

A snow flurry like diamond dust in Monday morning's bright sunshine was a reminder that this week is the anniversary of the '88 blizzard, when horse cars all over Connecticut were stalled for four or five days, and the state was hidden under drifts.

Eastern Connecticut fruit growers are interested in the exhibit of New England grown apples being made in Boston by the Boston chamber of commerce as a demonstration of its claim that New England can hold its own in competition with the west.

Under the auspices of the Yale ditarian convocation has been called to last for three days beginning Monday, April 11. Invitations have been sent out to all the clergymen of the state without regard to denomination.

For the past ten days a colored man, purporting to be the Rt. Rev. Bishop Philip A. Hubert, D.D., of Brooklyn, ting subscriptions for the United Christian church, incorporated. Philadelphia, and other places. Many colored people believe that he is a

Very Low Colonist Rates

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NEW BAPTISMAL FONT AT GERMAN CHURCH.

Gift of Rev. Theodor Bauck and Dedicated on Sunday.

A new baptismal font, which was a gift to the German Lutheran church from its pastor, Rev. Theodor Bauck was dedicated on Sunday at the morn was dedicated on Sunday at the morning service of the church, and then used for baptism, the first to receive that rite being the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lorenz Geigenmueller of Lisbon. The baby was nine or ten days old and received the name of Alfred Lorenz Geigenmueller.

fred Lorenz Geigenmueller.

After the liturgy for the morning service the dedication of the font took place, followed by the baptism of the child and the examination of the con-firmation class of twenty who will be confirmed next Sunday.

The new font is one of much beauty made in white and gold to harmoniz perfectly with the new altar that wa put in at the time of the celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the church last October. The congregation expressed the warmest thanks to Pasto Pasto for the affit which represents Bauck for the gift, which represents a considerable monetary outlay and is a valued addition to the appointments of

APPARATUS EXHIBITED ON UNION SQUARE.

Wagon Pipe Known as the Invincible Displayed and Local Nozzles to Equal

On Monday noon there was an ex-hibition of a wagon pipe by E. W. Sibley, representing a Boston house manufacturing the pipe, the exhibit taking place in Union square for an hour after I o'clock. Several size noz-zies were tried out, although the larg-est nozzle used was 1 3-8 inches. The aerial truck and apparatus in the cen-ter of the city was there, the hose be-ing attached to the hydrant in front of Jennes' store. Jennes' store

Jennes' store.

Following the demonstration of the wagon pipe, Chief Stanton allowed, G. O. Robinson of the Eastman company to show what the local department has in the way of equipment, so that the wagon pipe is not needed here. All the companies have the Eastman deinge set and as Mr. Robinson was in town he was allowed to direct the exhibit of that apparatus. Streams were hibit of that apparatus. Streams were thrown as large as 2 1-8 inches in diameter and fine work done. The fire commissioners witnessed the test. Mr. Robinson stated that in 3ll his travels has he found a department so well equipped as is the Norwich department, and he was particularly interested in the horses. They are better mated than in any department he has seen and he spoke particularly of the uniform color.

Rainfall and Reservoir. The rainfall on Sunday night amounted to .09 of an inch and Fair-TSON & CO., ciew reservoir on Monday measured 19.

PERSONAL

Dr. Louise Franklin Miner returned Monday evening from New Haven.

Mrs. Fred Harvey of New Londo spent Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. Everett Hall of Nor-

Miss Elizabeth Beckley and Miss Isabel Crawford of Norwich have been guests of Miss Tercsa Flynn of New London.

James A. Bidwell, formerly night operator at the Central Vermont station, will succeed James Mullen as the freight depot as cashier.

Mrs. Lewis Williams and her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Ryther returned Monday morning after five weeks' absenfrom town, having spent a month with Mrs. Williams' sister, in Pawtucket. R. L. and a week in Putnam with her son, L. O. Williams.

MOTION LIST DAY IN

COMMON PLEAS COURT Many Matters Disposed of and Cases Assigned for Trial in New London.

Judge Waller was here on Monday afternoon for the potion list business in the court of common pleas and in the court of common pleas and there was business enough to keep the court busy about an hour. Per-mission to file an amendment was al-lowed in both of the cases of Horace T. Knight vs. A. E. Main et al., exers., and Susan E. Knight vs. A. E. Main et al. exers.

et al., exers.

Answers were ordered in two weeks or defaults will be entered in the cases of Mrs Joseph Sampson vs. Paul Murray, John McConnell vs. Lucinda Daniels, John McConnell vs. William F. Parker and Frasse company vs. the Norwich Belt Mfg. Co., Inc.

Judgment for the amount of the bill of particulars was granted in the case of F. H. & A. H. Chappell Co. vs. Leon Weiner. The amount is \$268.50. et al., exers.

In the case of Mary Handleman vs

In the case of Mary Handleman vs. William Handleman, a demurrer was argued and the judge took the papers. A bond of \$75 was ordered in two weeks in the case of Laban C. Dean vs. A. C. Dunham. The motion for a more specific statement of credits in this case was denied. this case was denied.

Judgment by foreclosure to the amount of \$484.50 was granted in the case of W. C. Ferguson vs. Edson Dewey and wife and the time for redemption was fixed as the first Monday demption was fixed as the first Monday in May.

The following cases were assigned for trial in New London in room 2 of the Hull building:

March 28: Thomas McGuire vs.

George Albert West, aged 73, died about 3.30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in Middletown. Mr. West had been in poor health for some time, being affilicted with Eright's disease and heart trouble. He was unable to leave his bed, however, Saturday morning, and he rapidly grew worse until the end

The deceased was born in Greeneville, and he had spent all his life in
Norwich. He was the son of Keen and
Eliza Ann (Flanders) West. Mr.
West was a carpenter by trade and
learned the rudiments of that vocation
in the employ of the late D. W. Perkins, and had worked for quite a
number of different contractors until
his health failed, several years ago,
because of a bad fall from a building.
Mr. West served in the civil war with
F company, 18th regiment, C. V., for a
period of three years, That company
was recruited by Colonel Henry Peale.
Deceased's father served in the same
regiment, but previously was a member of E company, 14th regiment, C.
V. The deceased was born in Greene-

Mr. West resided at No. 96 Thames street for 17 years. He spent some time at the Soldiers' home at Noroton because of his health. He was married in New Haven on Nov. 7, 1871, to Agnes J. McNaught. Mr. West was the last of his immediate family. During his service under arms he was the list of his immediate family. Dur-ing his service under arms he was known as a true and faithful soldier and as a workman he was conscien-tious and painstaking. As a man he was honored for his temperate habits and noble character. He was always pleasant, well disposed towards his neighbors, kind and ever devoted to his wife.

ARCANUM POOL TOURNEY.

Pierson, Although Leader, Has Lost One Game and Harwood Has Lost

Several changes since last Frida, ave taken place in the standing of the ool tournament at the Arcanum club E. R. Pierson still retains the lead, but has lost one game, which was taken by C. E. Whitney, 50 to 48. Harwood has lost his second game, being beaten Monday evening by Portelance, 50 to

The standing as to games won and lost and the points made follows:

	Won.	Lost
Balley	1	6
Foss	3	- 5
Harwood	7	19
Haviland		- 5
Jordan		
Pierson	*** 5	100

Portelance	*** 4	1
Pulsifer	3	100
Rawson	en (8)	- 13
Stearns	4	3
Tainter	3	2
Whitney	4	3

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DEATH OF MAJOR BELA P. LEARNED

One of Norwich's Most Prominent Citizens Passed Feacefully Away at Midnight-ad been in Poor Health for Sometime-Conspicuous War Record.

Bela Peck Learned, one of Norwich's most prominent citizens, passed away at his home, No. 180 Broadway, at midnight Monday night at the age of 73.
Mr. Learned has been in poor health for a long time with Bright's disease at his home, No. 180 Broadway, at midnight Monday night at the age of 73. Mr. Learned has been in poor health for a long time with Bright's disease and heart trouble, but has been able to be about and within a short time has been out driving. His condition became so bad that a number of months ago he gave up many of the offices he had held, to be relieved of the responsibility, and for some time he has not been able to attend to his business, although he has often been at the office. He had a particularly poor day on Monday, not leaving his bed, and the end was very peaceful just at midnight. His death marks the passing of a man of noble ideas and efforts, whose life has been spent in this city, where he was identified with



MAJOR BELA PECK LEARNED

the best endeavors in the church life musical and business circles. His death removes a citizen who will be

death removes a chizen who will be sincerely missed.

March 28: Thomas McGuire vs.
March 29: Charles H. Taylor vs. city of New London; Thomas A. Watson vs. New Haven road.

April 2—Emily Browning vs. J. V. Darrow and others; Morris Blaskin vs. Rena Smith and others.

OBITUARY.

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George Albert West, aged 73, died about 3.30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in Middletown. Mr. West had been in

The deceased is a descendant of the old Killingly, Conn., branch of the Learned family, and it from the ancient Massachusetts family which dates back to only a little later than the coming of the Pligrim Pathers. He was in the ninth generation removed from William Leonard, the emigrant ancestor who appears a resident

ligrant ancestor who appears a resident of Charlestown in 1630.

Major Learned was graduated from Yale college in 1859. Early in the civil war, February 21, 1862, he joined Com-pany D. First volunteer heavy artiflery, being mustered in as second lieuten-

CAR JUMPED TRACK

IN THAMES STREET Arranged by the Second and Broad-Single Truck Electric Left Rails Entirely, Going Upon Sidewalk and Against Fence.

For some reason that the officials of the Connecticut company could not find out, the small single truck trolley car in charge of Motorman Barry and Conductor Kennedy that was sent Conductor Kennedy that was sent down to Thamesville to help out the New London car, went off the track on Thames street Monday evening snortly after 7 o'clock. The car left the rails in front of the second house below Page's lane, there being several passengers aboard. It turned at right angles to the track and crashed into a picket fence, which brought it to a stop. The fender was somewhat bent, otherwise no damage was done. The otherwise no damage was done. The car went off far enough to leave the track clear for the regular New Lon-don car in charge of Motorman John King, so that the schedule was not in-

The wrecking crew was sent down and after about 2 1-2 hours work under the direction of Inspector Ladd, the car was replaced on the rails. The car was in good shape with the exception of the front fender, and there was no indication of what caused the derailment, it was stated. The passengers were shaken up, but were not injured.

AT THE AUDITORIUM.

Vaudeville and Motion Pictures.

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There was a vaudeville show without a dult moment to open the bill at the Auditoriam on Monday, filling the house with applauding crowds at each performance. For the headliner White's Mule Circus was a big laugh producer, especially when the two assistants have Punch, the trick mule, chasing them around the stage, or when they try to ride the mule. Wednesday and Friday nights volunteers from the audience are to be given a chance to try to ride Punch. The fun will be unlimited when this happens.

Comedy of the best kind is let loose when The Lanoles do their horizontal bar acts with a bounding bed with which they introduce side splitting novelties. Two high class musical numbers finish out the bill with good

numbers finish out the bill with good balance. Cook and Wiegland, the origbalance. Cook and Wlegland, the original college boy and girl, are of the best in the song and dance line, although the man of the combination cut his work somewhat short on Monday, as he was just recovering from a case of ptomaine poisoning which isid him up on Sunday. Another pretty musical number, and one that gets a great hand, is Mondane Phillips in song impersonations which display her talent and great voice-range. Her pretty little dog heips and shares the applause. tle deg helps and shares the applause. Dear Little Shamrock by the Audi-orium Duo is finely sung and the il-lustrated song is a melodious number. There is an attractive line of moving pictures.

MUSICIANS NAME COMMITTEES. W. B. Young Chairman for Entertainment of New England Conference of

Musicians' union, local No. 235, held its regular meeting Sunday afternoon, President E. E. Baker in the chair, at which the necessary committees were which the necessary committees were appointed for entertaining the New England conference here on April 17th, Sunday, About fifty delegates are ex-pected. William B. Young, Jr., James T. Woods and Walter W. Lang were made the committee of arrangements, and a recention committee of divergence.

and a reception committee of five members was appointed with Charles W. Tubbs for chairman.

In addition a dance committee was named to conduct a dance on some date before the conference time.

The United States occupies place in the list of the world producers, Bouth Africa standing first. interest.

moted to captain of Company I, January 2, 1865; and on April 9 of the same year, was breveted major. He was mustered out of the United States service September 25, 1865, with an honorable war record. The engagements of the First heavy artillery were siege of Yorktown, Va., April 20 to May 4, 1862; Hampton Court House, Va., May 27, 1862; Gaines Hill, Va., May 31 to June 26, 1862; Chickahominy, Va., June 25, 1862; Golden Hill, Va., June 27, 1862; Malvern Hill, Va., June 27, 1862; Malvern Hill, Va., July 1, 1862; siege of Fredericksburg, Va., December 11-15, 1862 (Companies B and M); before Fredericksburg, Va., June 5 to 12, 1863 (Company M); Keiley's Ford, Va. (Company M), November 27, 1863; Orange Court House, Va. (Company B), November 30, 1864; siege of Petersburg and Richmond, Va., May, 1864, to April, 1865; Fort Fisher, N. C., January 14 and 15, 1865 (Companies B, G and L).

Majpor Learned returned to Norwich in October, 1865, and has since been successfully engaged in the Insurance buriness. He has held many positions of trust and honor, among them that of vice president of the Norwich Savings society and trustee of the Norwich Savings society and trustee of the Norwich Free Academy. He was a past commander of Sedgwick post, No. 1, G, A. R., past junior vice commander of the department of Connecticut, a member of the Army and Navy ciub of Connecticut, and a companion of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States; a member of the Army and Navy ciub of Connecticut, and a companion of the Sons of the American Revolution:

Connecticut, and a companion of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States; a member of the Sons of the American Revolution; lleutenant governor of the Society of Colonial Wars, in the state of Connecticut; and past president of the Society of Founders of Norwich. He was a member of Park Congregational church, and had for a long time been particularly active in its affairs, serving as deacon up to the time of his death, and was honorary superintendent of the Sunday school. He was a republican politically. He also belonged to the Arcanum and Norwich clubs of this city, and the Graduate club of New Haven.

On October 31, 1867, he married May W. Bulkeiey of this city, by whom he is survived, together with three children, Mrs. George T. Howland, Ebeneer Learned and Mrs. Grosvenor Ely, all of Norwich. He leaves several grandchildren.

From 1858 to 1861 he was assistant secretary of the Norwich Fire In-

secretary of the Norwich Fire In-surance company and in 1868 he was made second lieutenant of the Fourth U. S. artillery, of the regular army out declined the office, Major Learned took a deep interes

In music, being a musician and sing-er of ability. He was a keen pusiness man and had a long established in-surance business in which his son has for a number of years been associated. He was a man of high ideals and cd. He was a man of high locals and character, whose worth to the city was immeasurable. He found great delight in his home, where his interest centered, while in church work he was a member of the choir of Parichurch. He took a deep interest it matters connected with colonial his matters connected with colonial his-tory and was a close student of gene-alogies. His ancestors were among the founders of Norwich and matters deal-ing with the early history of this town were ever of vital interest to him.

UNION SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK

way Congregational Churches with Others Uniting on Good Friday. Three union meetings for Holy week have been arranged by the Second and Broadway Congressional churches, the services to be conducted by the pastors, Rev. H. J. Wyckoff and Rev. E. S. Worcester, respectively. These meetings will be as follows:

Monday, March 21—5 p. m., at Second church.

Tuesday-7.45 p. m., at Second Wednesday, March 23-5 p. m., at On Thursday evening there will be separate services. At Broadway there will be a communion service with special music from Gilchrist's Passion or-atorio, The Lamb of God, On Good Friday at 11 a. m., there

on Good Friday at 11 a. m., there will be a union service of the Second. Park, Broadway, Congregational and Central Baptist church, at Broadway church. The sermon will be preached by Rev. Edward S. Worcester and the music will be from the oratorio above mentioned.

Incidents in Society

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Osgood and their son, of East Main street, are soon to move to the house on East Town street, Norwich Town, lately occupied by Mrs. J. Hunt Smith.

Miss Fanny L. Bliss and Miss Edith M. Bliss, of Lincoln avenue, are to sall May 4th on the President Grant, of the Hamburg-American line, for four months foreign travel. They plan to meet Miss Lucas and Miss Mary C. Lucas in Switzerland and to continue their tour with them.

Motion to Expunge Denied. Judge Greene has handed down a decision denying the motion to ex-punge the case of Delina M. Richards'

ppeal from probate ARITHMETIC AND FOOD School Children Must Be Fed Right,

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pounds in weight.

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the table."

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